THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE V.V.S.RAO

WRIT PETITION No.777 of 2007

Dated:19.01.2007

Between:

Vegasina Bapi Raju.

…Petitioner

and

The District Collector and others.

…Respondent

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ORDER:

The petitioner is the Vice President of Penugonda Gram Panchayat, West Godavari District. He along with ten other members of Gram Panchayat got issued a legal notice to the respondents and two others requesting to direct the Sarpanch to convene the meeting for discussing subjects 18 to 38 of the agenda fixed for the meeting on 25.10.2006, in vain. Therefore, they filed the present Writ Petition.

The case of the petitioner is that when the meeting was scheduled on 25.10.2006, all the members were present and resolutions were passed unanimously in respect of subjects 10 to 17. However, when item No.18 was taken up, the petitioner and others objected for passing the same, and therefore, the Sarpanch abruptly left the meeting along with the records. The petitioner also apprehends that the Sarpanch might tamper with the records. Therefore, he seeks a direction to respondents 1 and 2 to take appropriate action on the representation.

The legal notice is dated 26.10.2006, but no proof of acknowledgment of receipt of the same is placed before this Court. Be that as it is, as there is no receipt of the said legal notice, this Writ Petition is disposed of observing that respondents 1 and 2 may look into the notice sent by the petitioner and ten others through their Lawyer and take necessary action in the matter. No costs.

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(V.V.S.RAO, J)

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vs